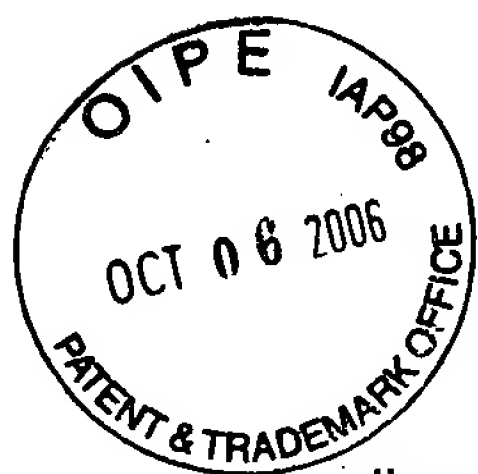


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : David Allison Bennett, et al.
Application No. : 09/684,869
Filed : October 6, 2000
Title : Reporting Shipping Rates and Delivery
Schedules for Multiple Services and Multiple
Carriers
Grp./Div. : 3629
Examiner : Jamisue A. Webb
Docket No. : PSTM0009/MRK

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Mail Stop Amendment
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October 4, 2006

Commissioner:

Attached are the following:


1. Fee Transmittal (in duplicate);
2. Petition for One-Month Extension of Time (in duplicate);
3. Check No. 2196 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the One-Month Extension fee;
4. Response to Office Action dated June 20, 2006; and
5. Return Postcard.

A Petition for an Extension of Time for one (1) month and the associated fee are filed concurrently herewith under 37 C.F.R. §1.136. It is respectfully submitted that a one-month extension is appropriate because the enclosed Response is filed before the expiration of the one-month time period following the three-month period set by the

Examiner for responding to the Office Action dated June 20, 2006, because it is filed before the expiration of October 20, 2006.

Even so, the Commissioner is hereby authorized, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3), to treat any concurrent or future reply or correspondence for the above-identified application, requiring a petition for an extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a constructive petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, including any required extension fees, which may be required during the **pendency** of this application, to Deposit Account No. 501574. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,
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